

# Camp Guide

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2011

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Fun!*

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# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## Greetings



*Welcome to another great summer of choosing your fun! An exciting addition to our programs is the Let's Move! campaign started by First Lady Michelle Obama. Let's Move! is a national goal of solving the challenge of childhood obesity so that children born today will reach adulthood at a healthy weight.*

*One of the main initiatives of the Let's Move! program is that children get a minimum of 60 minutes of physical activity every day. Each of our summer camps includes at least 60 minutes of physical activity, most include much more. Our Kidnetic and Let's Move! camps take it a step further and include nutrition tips on how to snack in healthy, tasty ways. Rockville has registered as a Let's Move! City and camps encouraging healthy living for children and families are designated in this guide with a Let's Move! logo.*



*Keep an eye out for some other new programs including Bookworms and Campventures. Be sure to check out all of our new offerings in August so your campers can stay active right up to the start of school.*

*Enjoy your summer and keep moving!*

*Betsy Thompson*

Betsy Thompson  
Superintendent of Recreation

**New this year!**

**Camp Packets will be e-mailed.  
Have you checked your e-mail address?  
See page 23.**

## Meet Your Camp Team



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				June		July				August					
				20	27	5*	11	18	25	1	8	15	22		
Preschool Camps															
Act it Out!	4-6	9:30-12:30												x	
Camp Challenger, Jr.	3-5	9-12									x	x			
Funfit Summer Adventure	3-5	9:30-12		x	x	x									
Tumbleweeds	3-5	9-12					x								
U.K. Elite Petite Soccer	3-4	see p. 5					x					x			
Arts & Drama Camps															
Creative Crafts	6-8	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Dramatic Kids!	7-10	9-3										x			
Play with Clay	8-12	9-3	x								x				
Pottery	8-12	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Way Off Broadway	8-12	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Xtremely Fun Camps															
Bookworms	5-6	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Camp Quest	10-12	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Campventures	7-9	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Don't Forget About August	5-13	9-5											x	x	x
Kid*Netic	8-11	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Let's Move!	5-7	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Science & Nature Camps															
Explorers	5-7	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
Mad Science	6-11	9-3		x	x									x	
Science Surrounds You!	7-12	9-3	x			x	x	x	x						
Sports Camps															
Basketball All Stars	8-12	9-3	x	x	x	x	x								
Gymnastics, Trampoline & Cheer.	6-16	9-3		x	x		x	x							
Higher Level Girls Basketball	7-13	9-3		x			x								
Multi-Sports & Games	8-12	9-3	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Rocket Youth Football	7-14	5:30-7:30					x								
Rockville Express Baseball	5-13	9-3	x	x			x								
Start Strong Football	13-17	9-3										x			
Specialty & One-Week Clinics															
Art Destination	8-15	9-3:30									x	x			
Camp Challenger	5-13	9-3:30	x								x	x			
Cheerleading	6-11	9-3			x										
Dance Combo	5-8	9:30-2:30			x										
Golf Camp	8-14	8-10		x											
Great Writers & Players	7-13	9-3:30	x								x	x			
Hip-Hop, Jazz, Etc.	8-12	9:30-2:30						x							
Last Hurrah	5-12	9-5													x
Let's Step & Dance	10-15	9-3									x				
Math Mania	6-10	9:30-12:30										x			
Minding Your Manners	6-10	9:30-12:30									x				
Reading Rocks	6-10	9:30-12:30													x
Robotics	11-14	1-4											x	x	
Skateboard Road Trip	12-17	9-6												x	x
Skateboarding	6-14	9-12		x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
Tennis & Swim	5-7	9:30-12:30		x						x					
U.K. Elite Soccer	5-14	9:30-12:30					x					x			
Nature Center Camps															
All About Animals	8-10	9-3									x				
Guppy Camp	5-7	9:30-12		x			x					x			
Guppy Camp	5-7	9:30-2:30								x					
Insect Investigations	10-14	9-3										x			
Naturally Creative	10-14	8:30-5:30						x							
Nature Art	8-10	9-3												x	
Nature Explorations	7-10	9-3			x					x					
NCTV- Nature Television	10-14	9-3		x											
Teen Adventure Camps															
Destination: Creativity	10-16	8:30-4													x
Destination: Outdoors	10-16	8:30-4												x	



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## Preschool Camps

### Act It Out *New*

Take an adventure through storybooks in this acting camp that uses theater and the fine arts of drawing, coloring and painting to teach social issues and character education topics such as respect, truth and peace. Our young actors will learn various theater games, explore stories, as well as make their own costume and props. Campers will present their favorite book on the last day. Note: \$20 material fee due to instructor on first day of camp.



Age: 4-6

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

34705

8/15-8/19

\$128/\$138

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### Camp Challenger, Jr.



This preschool program combines the age-appropriate activities of Camp Challenger with fun, non-competitive sports and fitness activities, brought to you by Coach Doug. Learning stations allow for fun, hands-on activities based on a space theme. Note: \$5 supply fee payable to instructor on first day of camp. There is no before or after care available. Participants must be toilet trained and 3 years old at start of camp.



Age: 3-5

9 AM-12 PM

34521

8/1-8/5

\$103/\$113

34522

8/8-8/12

\$103/\$113

Lakewood ES



### Funfit Summer Adventure



It's not just camp, it's an adventure! Campers will exercise their bodies and minds through exploration of a new theme every day. Enjoy hands-on experiences, creative venues, lots of active-themed games and loads of adventure. Themes will be chosen from dinosaurs, space, pirates, jungle safari, holidays, construction, bugs, super heroes and more. Campers will enjoy the small, intimate setting, personal attention, experienced staff and healthy, active workout each day. Bring a healthy snack/drink. Note: \$20 materials fee payable to the instructor on first day of camp. Participants must be toilet trained and 3 years old at start of camp.



Age: 3-5

9:30 AM-12 PM

34543

6/20-6/24

\$135/\$145

34544

6/27-7/1

\$135/\$145

34545

7/5-7/8

\$108/\$116

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### Tumbleweeds



Tumble! Jump! Laugh! Our youngest campers will jump on the trampoline, interact with other preschoolers and learn basic gymnastics during group games and crafts. Bring a healthy snack/drink and enjoy a week of fun and exercise. Participants must be toilet trained and 3 years old at the start of camp.



Age: 3-5

9 AM-12 PM

34619

7/11-7/15

\$149/\$159

Xtreme Acro and Cheer

### U.K. Elite Soccer: Petite



A fun introduction to the world of soccer is experienced through exposure to exciting and stimulating physical activities. Develop better coordination as well as motor and social skills. All campers receive a Certificate of Attendance. Participants must be 3 years old at start of camp. Bring plenty of water and a snack.

Age: 3-4

9-10:15 AM

34624

7/11-7/15

\$111/\$122

34626

8/8-8/12

\$111/\$122

10:15-11:30 AM

34625

7/11-7/15

\$111/\$122

34627

8/8-8/12

\$111/\$122

Welsh Park

KEY:



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Extended Camp Care =



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A/C =



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Healthy/Active Camps =



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One-week options =



# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## Arts & Drama Camps

### Creative Crafts

Have fun being creative and getting messy. The daily schedule includes multi-media art projects that encourage creativity and promote the enjoyment of art. Traditional camp activities/games and swimming round out the day. Hands-on art projects may include collage, painting, tie-dye and more. \*Sessions #34528 and #34529 are one-week options.

Age: 6-8

9 AM-3 PM

34527	6/20-7/1	\$349/\$379
34530	7/5-7/15	\$315/\$341
34528*	7/5-7/8	\$139/\$155
34529*	7/11-7/15	\$175/\$189
34531	7/18-7/29	\$349/\$379

College Gardens ES



### Play with Clay

Have fun and be creative, using various materials such as air-dry clay, sculpey and more. Let your imagination lead the way and create unique projects. Other arts and crafts and general recreational activities are also are part of the day. Recreational swim included.

Age: 8-12

9 AM-3 PM

34601	8/1-8/5	\$185/\$199
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Pump House at Croydon Park



### Way Off Broadway

Be an entertainer! This introduction to theater may include theater games, costumes, character make-up, mime, comedy and more. Perform in front of family and friends on "Opening Day," held the last day of each session. General recreational activities are also a part of the day.

Age: 8-12

9 AM-3 PM

34631	6/20-7/1	\$369/\$395
34632	7/5-7/15	\$335/\$355
34633	7/18-7/29	\$369/\$395

F. Scott Fitzgerald Theatre



**"...My kids loved all the activities, teachers, games ... everything! Thank you..."**

**Kid\*Netic Parent**

### Pottery

Create several original pieces of pottery that are both fun and functional in this introductory program. Basic hand-building techniques such as coil, slab and pinch-pot are included. Various glazing methods are taught. Projects progress from simple to more complex and may include a bowl, mug or lidded box. A pottery display will be held on the last day of each session. General recreational activities are also part of the day. Note: Due to popularity of this camp, registration will be limited to one session per camper for the summer. Recreational swim included.

Age: 8-12

9 AM-3 PM

34606	6/20-7/1	\$369/\$395
34607	7/5-7/15	\$335/\$355
34608	7/18-7/29	\$369/\$396

Pump House at Croydon Park



### Dramatic Kids

Learn about theater along with the fine arts of drawing, painting and coloring. Young artists combine their theatrical and artistic know-how with activities such as storytelling, character development and costume/set design while learning social issues and character education. Camp will culminate in a performance on the last day. Note: \$15 materials fee due to instructor on first day of camp.

Age: 7-10

9 AM-3 PM

34812	8/8-8/12	\$250/\$263
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## Xtremely Fun Camps



### BookWorms *New*



This camp features weekly themes from favorite children's books and authors. Daily activities, including arts and crafts, games and special activities, will be geared around the book or author of the week. There will be plenty of physical activity to keep their bodies, as well as their minds, in shape. Swim lessons included for campers registered in two-week sessions only, Tuesday-Thursday, at the Rockville Swim and Fitness Center indoor pool. \*Campers registered for one-week sessions, #34686, #34687 and #34668 have recreational swim only. Participants must be 5 years old by Sept. 1, 2011.



Age: 5-6

9 AM-3 PM

34664	6/20-7/1	\$359/\$389
34666	7/5-7/15	\$325/\$350
34686*	7/5-7/8	\$145/\$155
34687*	7/11-7/15	\$179/\$195
34667	7/18-7/29	\$359/\$389
34668*	8/1-8/5	\$179/\$195

Ritchie Park ES

### Camp Quest



On a quest for something new and fun? This camp offers a wide variety of activities. From your established base camp, venture out several times a week on field trips that may include laser tag, miniature golf, bowling, swimming at the Rockville Swim and Fitness Center and more. Base camp activities include games, crafts, special theme days and other general recreational activities.



Age: 10-12

9 AM-3 PM

34523	6/20-7/1	\$369/\$395
34524	7/5-7/15	\$335/\$355
34525	7/18-7/29	\$369/\$395

Lakewood ES

### Campventures *New*



We're on the go for fun and adventure. Local field trips are the highlight of this new camp and may include bowling, laser tag, swimming, miniature golf and more. Games, crafts and special theme days round out the fun. Recreational swim included.



Age: 7-9

9 AM-3 PM

34683	6/20-7/1	\$369/\$395
34684	7/5-7/15	\$335/\$355
34685	7/18-7/29	\$369/\$395

Lakewood ES

### Kid\*Netic



Get moving! Learn about fitness and healthy habits to last a lifetime. Be a part of the Let's Move! program and have fun exploring different fitness activities that may include kickboxing, yoga, hiking, rock climbing and more. Campers receive a pedometer to count their steps to fitness. Nutrition adventures will teach campers how to snack in healthy, tasty ways. Crafts, swimming and active games will round out the fun. Recreational swim included. \*Sessions #34586, #34587 and #34590 are one-week options.



Age: 8-11

9 AM-3 PM

34585	6/20-7/1	\$349/\$379
34588	7/5-7/15	\$315/\$341
34586*	7/5-7/8	\$139/\$155
34587*	7/11-7/15	\$175/\$189
34589	7/18-7/29	\$349/\$379
34590*	8/1-8/5	\$175/\$189

Ritchie Park ES



**KEY:** Bus = • Extended Camp Care = • A/C = • Healthy/Active Camps = • One-week options = \*

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## Xtremely Fun Camps

### Let's Move! *New*

Come on, Let's Move! This camp is packed with fun and fitness. Rock climbing, kickboxing, yoga, hiking and swimming are just a few of the activities. Learn how to prepare healthy, tasty snacks. Let's move and learn healthy, active habits to last a lifetime. Active games and arts and crafts round out the day. Swim lessons included for campers registered in two-week sessions only, Tuesday-Thursday, at the Rockville Swim and Fitness Center indoor pool. \*Campers registered for one-week sessions, #34672, #34673 and #34674 have recreational swim only. Participants must be 5 years old by Sept. 1, 2011.



Age: 5-7

9 AM-3 PM

34669	6/20-7/1	\$359/\$389
34670	7/5-7/15	\$325/\$350
34672*	7/5-7/8	\$145/\$155
34673*	7/11-7/15	\$179/\$195
34671	7/18-7/29	\$359/\$389
34674*	8/1-8/5	\$179/\$196

Ritchie Park ES

### Don't Forget About August



It's August... what will your child do until school starts? Come join us for the month as we hang out and have fun. Participate in cool summer activities that include sports and games, arts and crafts, field trips, swimming and more. Lunch is included in the price. Transportation is not provided.

Age: 5-13

9 AM-5 PM

33822	8/8-8/12	\$50/\$55
33823	8/15-8/19	\$50/\$55
33824	8/22-8/26	\$50/\$55

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"Summer 2011  
Staff Needed"

## TEEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED THIS SUMMER!

### Be a Junior Recreation Leader



### Earn Service Learning Credits

Ages 13-18

Help with homework, games, arts and crafts.  
Assist with field trips.

After school, evening and weekend hours available.  
May lead to employment as a Recreation Leader.

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## Science & Nature Camps

### Explorers

Explore nature through a variety of recreational activities. Arts and crafts, games, theme days and other activities are part of the day. A field trip is also featured. Swim lessons are included, Tuesday-Thursday, at the Rockville Swim and Fitness Center indoor pool. Note: Participants must be 5 years old by Sept. 1, 2011.



Age: 5-7

9 AM-3 PM

34540	6/20-7/1	\$369/\$395
34541	7/5-7/15	\$335/\$355
34542	7/18-7/29	\$369/\$395

College Gardens ES

### Science Surrounds You!

Learn about the natural world through hikes, stream studies, experiments, games, crafts and more. This exciting new camp will teach how to make a difference in your environment and how to be a steward of the earth. Recreational swim and other activities are also part of the day.



Age: 7-12

9 AM-3 PM

34611	7/5-7/15	\$323/\$352
34612	7/18-7/29	\$359/\$389

College Gardens ES



### Mad Science

Mad Science is the world's leading science enrichment provider. This camp offers unique, hands-on science experiences that are entertaining and educational. Mad Science is proud to introduce millions of children to a world of discovery while sparking the imagination. The camp encourages scientific literacy in children of any age. Science is as vital as reading, writing and arithmetic.

Age: 6-11

9 AM-3 PM

#### Crime Scene Chemistry

This session is an introduction to life and all the uses of science to solve crimes. Conduct electricity to power a Mad Science whirlingig and discover the secrets behind batteries. Experience blood pumping through the heart and air moving through the lungs. Use ooey-gooey ingredients to build a model cell and use your own traits to decode and decipher your DNA.



34591	6/20-6/24	\$295/\$310
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Lakewood ES

#### Secret Agent Lab

James Bond? MacGyver? Austin Powers? Do you think you have what it takes to discover who done it? If so, this camp is for you! From secret communications to detective crime science, decoding messages to metal detectors and night vision. Check out cool spy equipment and even create your own edible message in a hands-on look at the science that spies use. Build a secret safe and challenge others to crack the code.



34592	6/27-7/1	\$295/\$310
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Lakewood ES

#### Science in Motion

Discover how things move with science. Take apart pellets to see what an owl cannot digest. Join a team of camp engineers and build bridges, domes, cubes and pyramids. Assemble and control pulleys, levers, catapults and other simple machines. Make your own sidewalk chalk, crystal gardens and chromatography-dyed T-shirt. Each day will have a different theme.



35061	8/15-8/19	\$295/\$310
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# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## Sports Camps

### Basketball All Stars

Learn basketball fundamentals and improve your skills in a fun, noncompetitive atmosphere. Skill areas covered include sportsmanship, teamwork, ball handling, passing and shooting. Scrimmages will be held. General recreational activities also are part of the day. Recreational swim included.



Age: 10-12

9 AM-3 PM

34517

6/20-7/1

\$299/\$329

Age: 8-10

9 AM-3 PM

34518

7/5-7/15

\$269/\$299

Twinbrook CRC

### Gymnastics, Trampoline & Cheerleading

Learn basic gymnastics, tumbling and trampoline routines. Group games and arts and crafts are also a part of each day. All levels of ability are welcome. Cheerleading will be an introduction into competitive all-star cheerleading. Basic tumbling, cartwheels, back handsprings, stunting, motions, jumps, cheers and dances are taught. A new choreographed routine will be performed at the end of each week. Bring a healthy snack, lunch and drink.



Age: 6-16

9 AM-3 PM

34554

6/20-6/24

\$210/\$225

34555

6/27-7/1

\$210/\$225

34556

7/11-7/15

\$210/\$225

34557

7/18-7/22

\$210/\$225

Xtreme Acro and Cheer



### Higher Level Girls Basketball

This high energy, all-girls basketball camp is both challenging and fun. Learn fundamentals and improve your skills through drills and scrimmages. Camp Director, Maggie Dyer, is the head coach of the Wootton High School girls basketball team. Maggie has over 15 years of basketball camp experience. Bring a bag lunch. Beverages, pizza and snacks will be available for purchase.



Age: 7-13

9 AM-3 PM

34558

6/20-6/24

\$210/\$225

34559

7/11-7/15

\$210/\$225

Wootton HS

### Multi-Sports & Games

Enjoy learning the basics of a variety of sports and games that may include hockey, basketball, baseball, flag football and soccer. Emphasis is on sportsmanship, skill development, rules, strategy and fun! General recreational activities also are part of the day. \*Sessions #34596, #34597 and #34600 are one-week options. A water bottle and hat/visor are recommended. Recreational swim included. Note: Outdoor location.



Age: 8-12

9 AM-3 PM

34595

6/20-7/1

\$299/\$329

34598

7/5-7/15

\$269/\$299

34596\*

7/5-7/8

\$123/\$133

34597\*

7/11-7/15

\$149/\$165

34599

7/18-7/29

\$299/\$329

34600\*

8/1-8/5

\$149/\$165

Welsh Park

### Rocket Youth Football

This football skills and conditioning camp will help prepare young players for a successful season by focusing on fundamentals and good sportsmanship. Campers will receive a T-shirt and participate in a Punt, Pass and Kick competition. This is a non-contact camp.



Age: 7-14

5:30-7:30 PM

34721

7/11-7/15

\$25/\$35

Lincoln/Isreal Park

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## Sports Camps



### Rockville Express Baseball

Learn the fundamentals of baseball or hone advanced skills with Rockville Express coaches and college all-stars. Designed for children of all ability levels, this camp will focus on comprehensive skill development in hitting, pitching, fielding, catching, base running and teamwork. Campers will be grouped by age and skill level, and compete in daily games and other baseball activities. Campers must provide a baseball glove and water bottle; all other equipment is provided. Campers will receive a camp T-shirt, gift and a free pass to attend Rockville Express home games.



Age: 5-13

9 AM-3 PM

34609

6/20-6/24

\$199/\$225

34610

7/11-7/15

\$199/\$225

Dogwood Park



### AM Extended Day - Baseball



This AM Extended Day option is only available for participants registered in baseball camp. Campers will enjoy various activities such as active play, crafts and board games in a slightly less structured atmosphere.

Age: 5-13

7:30-9 AM

34513

6/20-6/24

\$27/\$32

34514

7/11-7/15

\$27/\$32

Dogwood Park

### PM Extended Day - Baseball



This PM Extended Day option is only available for participants registered in baseball camp. Campers will enjoy various activities such as active play, crafts and board games in a slightly less structured atmosphere.

Age: 5-13

3-5 PM

34604

6/20-6/24

\$42/\$48

34605

7/11-7/15

\$42/\$48

Dogwood Park

### Start Strong Football



It's the last week of summer before football practice begins so get ready for some football with this skills and conditioning camp. The program is run by current high school football coaches and will prepare student athletes for a successful upcoming season.

Grade: 8-12

9 AM-3 PM

34723

8/8-8/12

\$35/\$45

Lincoln/Isreal Park



This campaign, started by First Lady Michelle Obama, has a national goal of solving the challenge of childhood obesity within a generation.



Rockville has registered as a Let's Move! City. Programs encouraging healthy living for children are designated in this guide with a Let's Move! logo.

Go to [www.letsmove.gov](http://www.letsmove.gov) for more information.

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## Extended Camp Care

### Early Risers

This early morning program, for camp participants only, provides low-key recreational activities before the start of the camp day. At 8:45 a.m. campers will be bused to Welsh Park where they will join their camp groups. A limited number of spaces are available. \*Note: One-week sessions are only available for one-week camps that have extended camp care as an option. Parents are responsible for transporting their camper(s) to the program.



Age: 5-12

7:30-8:45 AM

34533	6/20-7/1	\$50/\$54
34536	7/5-7/15	\$45/\$49
34534*	7/5-7/8	\$20/\$22
34535*	7/11-7/15	\$25/\$29
34537	7/18-7/29	\$50/\$54
34538*	8/1-8/5	\$25/\$29

College Gardens ES

### Home Stretch

Afternoon extended day, for camp participants only, includes recreational activities from 3-6 p.m. Enjoy a snack, crafts and games in a less structured environment than the regular camp day. Campers are met by staff at Welsh Park and will be bused to Home Stretch camp. A limited number of spaces are available. Parents will be responsible for picking up their camper(s) at Home Stretch by 6 p.m. \*Note: One-week sessions are only available for one-week camps that have Extended Camp Care as an option.



Age: 5-12

3-6 PM

34561	6/20-7/1	\$109/\$119
34564	7/5-7/15	\$99/\$109
34562*	7/5-7/8	\$45/\$52
34563*	7/11-7/15	\$55/\$62
34565	7/18-7/29	\$109/\$119
34566*	8/1-8/5	\$55/\$62

College Gardens ES

34567	6/20-7/1	\$109/\$119
34570	7/5-7/15	\$99/\$109
34568*	7/5-7/8	\$45/\$52
34569*	7/11-7/15	\$55/\$62
34571	7/18-7/29	\$109/\$119

Thomas Farm CC

**"...Good variety of activities, games, arts & crafts, basketball, etc. for the kids..."**

**Parent of Home Stretch camper**

### Leaders-in-Training Summer 2011



#### Assist playground/camp recreation staff with sports, games, arts & crafts and special events

- Applications available Feb. 28, for grades 8-10 (2011-12 school year).
- Placements limited. Priority given to returning LITs.
- Interviews held mid-April. Payment after placement, \$50 resident; \$75 non-residents (one-time fee).
- Mandatory training and orientation in May and June.

#### Three Ways to Apply:

- #1 Pick up application at Recreation Department, Rockville City Hall.
- #2 Print application from web page: [www.rockvillemd.gov/teens](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/teens).
- #3 Call 240-314-8638.

**Application Deadline:** March 21

**240-314-8634**

**[www.rockvillemd.gov/teens](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/teens)**



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## Specialty Camps & One-Week Clinics

### Art Destination

Join the magical world of Art Destination where you can experience art through fun and creative ways. Use various mediums including clay (regular and polymer), wood items to build or paint, fabric and silk painting and so much more. Create works of art with watercolors, acrylics, oils, pastels and chalk. Let your imagination soar as you create your own fantastic artistic world. Each week a new approach and/or technique is introduced, so join us for both weeks. Note: \$40 material fee due to instructor on the day of camp.



Age: 8-15

9 AM-3:30 PM

34515 8/1-8/5 \$225/\$235

34516 8/8-8/12 \$225/\$235

Twinbrook CRC Annex

### Cheerleading



Try this awesome cheerleading program! Learn cheers, jumps, chants and motions. Get in the spirit with crafts and games. A presentation will be held on the last day of the session for family and friends.



Age: 6-11

9 AM-3 PM

34526 6/27-7/1 \$185/\$199

Ritchie Park ES

### Dance Combo



Enjoy a combination of jazz, modern and hip hop. Jazz dance uses Broadway moves, which are flavored with a classical touch. It focuses on charisma, self-confidence and posture. Hip-hop uses moves from street dances. It's a funky style of dance, using up-to-date music and moves. Wear loose-fitting clothing and sneakers. Bring a lunch and snack. Program is taught by Sabine Philippe of Dansez! Dansez!



Age: 5-8

9:30 AM-2:30 PM

34532 6/27-7/1 \$195/\$215

Twinbrook CRC

### Tennis & Swim



Enjoy an active morning, filled with tennis, swimming and fun. Campers will have tennis lessons and practice time. Afterwards they will go to the Rockville Swim and Fitness Center to cool off in the pool, with a water slide, splash playground and more. Participants must bring a tennis racket. A hat/visor and water bottle are also recommended. Raindate: June 24.

Age: 5-7

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

34618 6/20-6/23 \$159/\$179

Welsh Park

### Golf Camp



Taught by PGA professionals, instruction is provided with emphasis on stance, grip and swing. Course management, speed of play and etiquette will also be covered. Campers will be grouped according to ability, not age. A tournament is held on the last day. Participants must bring golf clubs and glove. Snack and a drink provided daily. Campers receive a voucher for a 9-hole round. Camp meets Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-10 a.m., and Friday, 7:30-10 a.m. Raindate: June 27.

Age: 8-14

8-10 AM

34550 6/20-6/24 \$175/\$189

RedGate Golf Course

### Hip-Hop, Jazz, Etc.



This dance camp will keep you on your toes. Experience different dance styles including hip-hop, jazz, modern, ballet, ballroom and Haitian folkdance. Wear comfortable clothing: spandex, loose pants; tennis shoes or jazz shoes/sneakers. Bring a lunch and snack. Program is taught by Sabine Philippe of Dansez! Dansez!



Age: 8-12

9:30 AM-2:30 PM

34560 7/18-7/22 \$195/\$215

Thomas Farm CC

### Last Hurrah *New*



Looking for something fun for your children do to at the end of the summer? Participate in crafts, organized games, sports and other fun activities. Bring a lunch and drink. Wear play clothes and tennis shoes.



Age: 5-12

9 AM-5 PM

34711 8/22-8/26 \$150/\$180

Twinbrook CRC

### Let's Step & Dance *New*



Campers will learn basic stepping skills and put together step routines while learning the importance of staying active and fit. Mini-dance and fitness lessons will also be a part of the day. Bring a lunch, water and snack. Campers should wear comfortable clothes and sneakers.



Age: 10-15

9 AM-3 PM

34708 8/1-8/5 \$75/\$85

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## Specialty Camps & One-Week Clinics

### Math Mania

This camp encourages students to explore, question and experience math by using games, hands-on activities, manipulatives, group projects and technology to further establish math skills and concepts. We strive to help math make sense so students enjoy the process of mathematics. We will work together to inspire students to see and appreciate math in their daily lives. Bring a snack and drink. Note: \$12 materials fee payable to instructor on first day. ❄️

Age: 6-10  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM  
34593 8/8-8/12 \$149/\$159  
Thomas Farm CC

### Minding Your Manners

Children are more confident and achieve success when they have good manners and know how to handle themselves in any situation. Topics will include table manners and settings, telephone and e-mail etiquette, invitations and thank you notes, introductions, eye contact and handshakes. Polite conversation and good sportsmanship are also covered, along with role-playing, hands-on activities and games. The last day campers will get to practice their new skills. Bring a snack and drink to practice dining etiquette. Note: \$12 materials fee payable to instructor on first day. ❄️

Age: 6-10  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM  
34594 8/1-8/5 \$149/\$159  
Thomas Farm CC

### Reading Rocks *New*

It's almost the end of the summer but not too late to join us for some fun reading activities. Children will have many opportunities to read books and explore activities that focus on reading skills. There will be time each day set aside to participate in physical activities in the gym. Bring a snack and drink. ❄️

Age: 6-10  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM  
34710 8/22-8/26 \$150/\$160  
Thomas Farm CC



### Robotics *New*

Campers will develop the skills to create and program autonomous robots. Grouped into teams, students will cycle through an engineering process to build, test, evaluate, document and modify a robot that navigates and performs in a competition. There will be a team competition on the last day of camp. ❄️

Age: 11-14  
1-4 PM  
34701 8/8-8/19 \$225/\$235  
Lincoln Park CC  
34702 8/8-8/19 \$225/\$235  
Twinbrook CRC

### Skateboard Road Trip *New*



Join Rockville's Skateboard staff as we skate all the best parks in the area in one week! Visit bowls, banks, ramps and everything in between. Skaters should have at least intermediate skills and be able to drop-in, ollie and feel comfortable on mini-ramps. Skateboard, pads, lunch and water required each day. Fee includes new skateboard deck and grip tape. Contact us at skatepark@rockvillemd.gov for more information.

Age: 12-17  
9 AM-6 PM  
34719 8/22-8/26 \$210/\$220  
34720 8/15-8/19 \$210/\$220  
Rockville Skate Park

### Skateboarding



Learn to skate or improve your skills at the best Skateboard camp around. Join Rockville's crew as you learn to push, ride, ollie, kick-flip, grind and drop-in. Skate park etiquette and safety will be a priority. Skaters must bring skateboard, helmet, knee and elbow pads, wrist guards, water and snack. Fee includes new skateboard deck and grip tape. Contact us at skatepark@rockvillemd.gov for additional information.

Age: 6-14  
9 AM-12 PM  
34712 6/20-6/24 \$175/\$185  
34713 6/27-7/1 \$175/\$185  
34714 7/5-7/8 \$140/\$150  
34715 7/11-7/15 \$175/\$185  
34716 7/18-7/22 \$175/\$185  
34717 7/25-7/29 \$175/\$185  
34718 8/1-8/5 \$175/\$185  
Rockville Skate Park

**Fee = Rockville resident/non-resident**



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## Specialty Camps & One-Week Clinics

### Camp Challenger

Brought to you by Coach Doug, this camp combines space science, rocketry and sports fun all in one great camp experience. Activities include building and launching a model rocket. Team building and cooperative efforts, both on the field and during projects, teach campers the importance of getting along and working together. Each week introduces a new space science activity. Note: \$10 supply fee payable to instructor on first day.



Age: 5-13

9 AM-3:30 PM

34519

8/1-8/5

\$195/\$205

34520

8/8-8/12

\$195/\$205

Lakewood ES

### Great Writers and Players!

Exercise your mind and body. This camp incorporates computer keyboarding skills and writing with a sports/fitness component. Practice or improve your keyboarding with fun, entertaining, self-paced activities. Take a break and play a variety of sports and games. No previous experience required in this non-competitive camp. Note: \$10 supply fee payable to instructor on first day.



Age: 7-13

9 AM-3:30 PM

34551

8/1-8/5

\$195/\$205

34552

8/8-8/12

\$195/\$205

Lakewood ES



### AM Blast-Off

Take advantage of an early drop off for Camp Challenger and Great Writers and Players camps only. Campers will participate in low-key activities until the camp day starts.



Age: 5-13

7-9 AM

34511

8/1-8/5

\$39/\$49

34512

8/8-8/12

\$39/\$49

Lakewood ES

### PM Countdown

After camp care will offer low-key activities and games. Campers should bring a snack and drink. Available to campers in Camp Challenger and Great Writers and Players.



Age: 5-13

3:30-6 PM

34602

8/1-8/5

\$49/\$53

34603

8/8-8/12

\$49/\$53

Lakewood ES



### JUNIOR GOLF Instruction Clinic Ages 10-17

May 31, June 7, 8 and 21

3:30-5:30 p.m.

Raindate: June 28

All levels of players welcome.

\$70 residents; \$75 non-residents.

Payable by cash or check at first clinic.



Golf equipment supplied if needed.

240-314-8730 • [www.rockvillemd.gov/redgate](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/redgate)

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## Specialty Camps & One-Week Clinics

U.K. Elite Soccer returns for its 11th year. Each day professional British coaches will teach a different move and skill set, highlighting the country and professional players who made them famous. Players receive a Reebok soccer ball, U.K. Elite T-shirt and written evaluation. Participants must wear shin-guards. (See page 5 for U.K. Elite Petite Soccer for preschoolers.) Bring plenty of water and a snack.

### U.K. Elite Soccer: Nippers



Introduce young players to soccer through fun and exciting games that are designed to develop confidence and a love of the sport.

Note: Campers must be 5 years old at start of camp.

Age: 5-6

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

34622

7/11-7/15

\$169/\$178

34623

8/8-8/12

\$169/\$178

Welsh Park

### U.K. Elite Soccer: Juniors



A good progression for youth players, this camp will develop fundamental techniques, skills and an introduction to the tactics of soccer. Also featured are exciting and stimulating developmental practices, small-sided games and scrimmages.

Age: 7-10

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

34620

7/11-7/15

\$169/\$178

34621

8/8-8/12

\$169/\$178

Welsh Park

### U.K. Elite Soccer: Youth/Teens



Players learn advanced technical and tactical soccer skills. The curriculum includes attacking, defending and keeping possession. Small-sided conditioned scrimmages create an ideal learning environment.

Age: 11-14

9:30 AM-12:30 PM

34628

7/11-7/15

\$169/\$178

34629

8/8-8/12

\$169/\$178

Welsh Park

**New this year!**  
**Camp Packets will be e-mailed.**  
**Have you checked your e-mail address?**  
**See page 23.**

## We Want You!



## Summer 2011 Camps & Playgrounds



**Great Hours – Excellent Salary**  
**7-week program/33 hours per week**

- Teach Sports & Games
- Outdoor Activities
- Arts & Crafts and more ...

For job openings and application information, visit our website at [www.rockvillemd.gov/careers](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/careers) or contact Human Resources Department, 240-314-8470. Applications may also be completed at Rockville City Hall, Human Resources, 111 Maryland Ave. Rockville, MD 20850. E.O.E.



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## Croydon Creek Nature Center Camps

852 Avery Road (off Baltimore Road), Rockville, MD 20851 - 240-314-8770

### Guppy Camp



What's creeping, crawling and flapping your way? Meet the critters that call Croydon Creek home and explore exciting natural history topics. Hands-on activities, experiments, hikes and crafts are all in a day's fun.



Age: 5-7

9:30 AM-12 PM

34692	6/20-6/24	\$95/\$115
34693	7/11-7/15	\$95/\$115
34695	8/8-8/12	\$95/\$115

9:30 AM-2:30 PM

34694	7/25-7/29	\$190/\$230
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### Insect Investigations



Buzz right into the world of entomology and uncover the fascinating realm of insects. Conduct a bio-blitz, construct a bug sucker and create a field kit to continue your investigations in your own backyard or on one of our field trips.



Age: 10-14

9 AM-3 PM

34700	8/8-8/12	\$225/\$250
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### Naturally Creative

Experience the wonders of nature through an artist's eyes. We'll sharpen our observation skills through a variety of hands-on nature projects using new techniques each day. Our artistic endeavors will include nature journaling, mixed media works and much more.



Age: 10-14

9 AM-3 PM

34691	7/18-7/22	\$225/\$250
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### Nature Art



Explore your creativity and hone your artistic skills during this week-long camp that combines your love of nature with your enthusiasm for art. Campers will get their creative juices flowing with outdoor games and hikes and use a variety of media to create works inspired by the natural world. This camp may include an off-site field trip.



Age: 8-10

9 AM-3 PM

34699	8/15-8/19	\$215/\$245
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### Nature Explorations



Whether on land or in water, enjoy discovering nature. Topics may include geology, stream ecology, zoology and botany. Explore a variety of habitats through hands-on and mind-on activities, field studies and other experiments. This camp may include an off-site field trip.



Age: 7-10

9 AM-3 PM

34689	6/27-7/1	\$215/\$245
34690	7/25-7/29	\$215/\$245

### NCTV - Nature Television

Do you love watching nature shows on The National Geographic Channel or Animal Planet? Do Jeff Corwin's meetings with wildlife leave you spellbound? Learn the process of making nature programs by filming your own. One day will be spent behind the scenes at The National Geographic Society in D.C. The rest of the week will be spent researching your own script and shooting your work.



Age: 10-14

9 AM-3 PM

34688	6/20-6/24	\$245/\$285
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### All About Animals

Learn about animals and what makes them tick through hands-on activities, hikes and games. Get up-close and personal with the animals while learning about and participating in their care. Camp may include an off-site field trip.



Age: 8-10

9 AM-3 PM

34698	8/1-8/5	\$215/\$245
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## Teen Adventure Camps



### Destination: Creativity

Enjoy a different creative adventure every day in this exciting end-of-the-summer program. Use your imagination to create ceramic pieces, mosaics and fused glass. Paint with acrylics and more at the Amazing Art Studio. A list of activities will be mailed two weeks prior to camp. Participants must bring a lunch and drink. Note: Cost includes all equipment, leadership and transportation. Space is limited, so register early.

Age: 10-16

8:30 AM-4 PM

33811

8/22-8/26

\$245/\$270

Julius West MS

### Destination: Outdoors



Join us for an adventure every day. Had out each morning in a different direction to go hiking, climbing or swimming. Enjoy outdoor activities with other kids your age. A complete itinerary will be mailed two weeks prior to camp. Participants must bring a lunch and drink. Note: Cost includes all equipment, leadership and transportation. Space is limited, so register early.

Age: 10-16

8:30 AM-4 PM

33812

8/15-8/19

\$285/\$315

Croydon Creek Nature Center

## "Teens on the Go"

**6 weeks of fun!**

Monday, June 20 – Friday, July 29

Trips to amusement parks and baseball games, pottery making, rafting, laser tag, go-karting, swimming and lots more...



### Pick-up and Drop-off Locations:

Julius West MS, Twinbrook Comm. Rec. Center, Lincoln Park Comm. Center & Thomas Farm Comm. Center

### More details in the Summer, 2011 Recreation Guide

240-314-8634

[www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation)

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**Respect for yourself. • Respect for others.  
Responsibility for your actions.**

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## Our Summer Camp Bus Transportation Is Convenient While Helping the Environment



Did you know most camps offer convenient bus transportation from many of Rockville's neighborhoods? Make your life easier by signing up to use the buses. You'll also help improve the environment by reducing emissions and the number of cars on the road! Look for this bus symbol by the camps that include transportation.

### Here's how it works:

Transportation is provided by MCPS buses. Buses pick up campers at designated City sites (see list) between 8:10-8:45 a.m., returning between 3:20-3:50 p.m. Bus pick-up/drop-off points are not staffed.

- Campers should arrive at their bus stop by 8:10 a.m., particularly on the first two days of each camp session. By the third day of a session, a more accurate time schedule will have been established for each bus stop.
- Campers are picked up at the designated bus stops in the morning and bused to Welsh Park. Campers are then reassigned, with the assistance of camp staff, to their specific camp bus and transported or walked to camp. In the afternoon, this procedure is followed in reverse. Every effort will be made to follow an established bus schedule; however, mechanical failures and traffic conditions may cause delays.
- Parents/guardians must meet their child at the bus stop in the afternoon. If your child is allowed to walk home alone, a written note must be given to the bus driver. Also, it is important that parents communicate in writing with camp staff when their child's transportation arrangements change.
- In order to reduce the amount of time campers are on the buses and to maximize efficiency of the camp transportation, the City may eliminate bus stops where there are fewer than five campers registered. Notification will be made.
- Bus routes are subject to change at the start of each new camp session. This may change pick-up and drop off times.

### Bus Pick-Up/Drop Off Points

**College Gardens E.S.**  
**Elwood Smith Rec. Comm. Ctr./Park**  
**Fallsmead E.S.**  
**King Farm Park**  
**Lakewood E.S.**  
**Lincoln Park Comm. Ctr.**  
**Montrose Comm. Ctr./Park**  
**Ritchie Park E.S.**  
**Thomas Farm Comm. Ctr.**  
**Twinbrook Comm. Rec. Ctr.**  
**Welsh Park\***

**PLEASE INCLUDE BUS PICK-UP/DROP-OFF POINT  
IN THE DESIGNATED SPACE ON EACH  
REGISTRATION FORM**

### NOTE:

\*All buses leave from and return to Welsh Park, the hub for the camp transportation system. If you have children in several camps that include bus transportation, dropping at Welsh Park is a convenient option. Children should not be dropped off at Welsh Park until 8:50 a.m. and should be picked up no later than 3:10 p.m.

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## Camp Locations

- Broome M.S. Gym  
751 Twinbrook Parkway, 20851
- Climbing Gym  
(Rec. Srv. Bldg. Civic Center Park)  
603 Edmonston Drive, 20851
- College Gardens E.S.  
1700 Yale Place, 20850
- Croydon Creek Nature Ctr.  
852 Avery Road, 20851
- Dogwood Park  
800 Monroe Street, 20850
- F. Scott Fitzgerald Theatre  
603 Edmonston Drive, 20851  
(Social Hall)
- Lakewood E.S.  
2534 Lindley Terrace, 20850
- Lincoln Park Comm. Ctr.  
357 Frederick Avenue, 20850
- Pump House at Croydon Park  
401 S. Horners Lane, 20850
- RedGate Municipal Golf Course  
14500 Avery Road, 20853
- Ritchie Park E.S.  
1514 Dunster Road, 20851
- Rockville Skate Park  
355 Martins Lane (Welsh Park), 20850
- Thomas Farm Comm. Ctr.  
700 Falls Grove Drive, 20850
- Twinbrook Comm. Rec. Ctr. and Annex  
12920 Twinbrook Parkway, 20851
- Welsh Park  
Martins Lane (at Mannakee St.), 20851
- Wootton H.S.  
2100 Wootton Parkway, 20850
- Xtreme Acro and Cheer  
20 E. Southlawn Court, 20850



## Bus Stops



- College Gardens E.S.  
1700 Yale Place 20850
- Elwood Smith Rec. Ctr./Park  
601 Harrington Road, 20852
- Fallsmead E.S.  
1800 Greenplace Terrace, 20850
- Julius West M.S.  
(for Teens on the Go program only)  
651 Falls Road, 20850
- King Farm - Park Entrance  
Trotter Farm Drive, 20850  
(at Bellspring Place)
- Lakewood E.S.  
2534 Lindley Terrace, 20850
- Lincoln Park Comm. Ctr.  
357 Frederick Avenue, 20850
- Montrose Comm. Ctr./Park  
451 Congressional Lane, 20852
- Ritchie Park E.S.  
1514 Dunster Road, 20851
- Thomas Farm Comm. Ctr.  
700 Falls Grove Drive, 20850
- Twinbrook Comm. Rec. Ctr.  
12920 Twinbrook Parkway, 20851
- Welsh Park  
Martins Lane (at Mannakee St.), 20850



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# Financial Assistance

## Rockville Youth Recreation Fund Ages 18 and younger

Scholarships for program fees are available for residents of the City of Rockville. The participant must pay \$15 toward each program fee, unless otherwise specified. The fund will cover the fees, up to \$70 maximum per person, per session (fall, winter, spring, summer); \$125 maximum per youth for the camp session; \$800 maximum per family, per year. Any remaining balance must be paid by the participant. Financial assistance must be applied for in person at the time of registration.

## Documents Needed for Financial Assistance:

*Participants must provide verification of any of the following:*

**Award letter from Maryland Dept. of Human Resources/ Montgomery Co. Dept. of Social Services** verifying eligibility for Temporary Cash Assistance (TCA), Food Stamps, Medical Assistance and/or Transitional Emergency Medical and Housing Assistance (TEMHA). The letter must indicate eligibility period and names of household members receiving benefits. (We do not accept Medicaid cards, FARM cards or Care for Kids.)

**Proof participant resides in a shelter:** Letter from shelter dated within a month of application and, if applicable, listing dependents living at shelter.

**Proof of Rental Assistance** - Public Housing, HUD Section 8 Housing, HOC (MPDU not accepted for applicants purchasing a home). This must be a current document from the agency providing assistance which names the eligible tenants.

**Supplemental Security Income** - Document must be dated within one year of application.

*Financial assistance is available for Rockville residents, ages 19 and up, based on income. For additional information, please call 240-314-8620.*

### How to



### Online

**24 hours a day/7 days a week**

Rock Enroll is our online registration for recreation programs.

- A family account must be set up in advance to register online.
- Go to [www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation). Scroll down to online registration form and complete.
- Instructions on how to retrieve your family account and personal ID number will be e-mailed within 3-5 business days.
- Registration can be completed via fax, mail or walk-in without a family account set up in advance.

**Resident Camp Registration begins:  
Wednesday, Jan. 26, 8:30 a.m.**



### Redeeming Points

- Registrant must have all points needed (40 points per dollar cost). No combination of points and cash/check/credit accepted.
- Dollar value of course must be greater than \$20 (800 point minimum).
- To pay with points, visit any Rockville Recreation Center, City Hall or mail/fax registration.
- If registering online or by phone, paying with points is not an option.

# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## General Information

### Certification Information

The City of Rockville Department of Recreation and Parks strives to maintain the highest quality programs and professional standards. In conjunction with this goal, the camp program is certified under the State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and undergoes periodic inspections. As a result of this certification, there are specific policies and procedures the City must follow to comply with regulations:

- **Participant Medical Information Form**

This form will be sent electronically along with other important information and forms prior to the start of each camp session. Please be sure to complete and send the forms with your child on the first day of camp. This form also includes important dismissal information.

- **Prescription/Non-prescription Medication**

If your child will be taking medication during camp hours, specific medical forms must be completed prior to attending. The forms may either be downloaded at [www.rockvillemd.gov](http://www.rockvillemd.gov) or call 240-314-8620. These forms must be signed by your physician and sent to camp on the first day.

- **Immunizations**

If your child is not currently attending a school in the State of Maryland, you must provide a copy of proper immunizations upon registration. Note: This will apply particularly to those entering kindergarten.

### Age Requirement

Participation in most programs is based on child's age as of Sept. 1, 2011 (per MCPS). Note: Some camps require that children be the appropriate age at the start of the camp. Please see specific camp descriptions for details.

### Camp Locations

Locations may be changed due to facility availability and MCPS scheduling. Participants will be notified. Most indoor locations (except MCPS gyms) are air-conditioned.



### Holiday

Camp will not be held Monday, July 4. Fees have been prorated.

### Rain Days/Red Zone Days

All camps are held rain, shine or red zone days. On red zone days, outdoor programs provide low key activities, water breaks and rest periods. Most dismissal sites will remain as scheduled. Note: Call 240-314-5023, press #2 for updated recorded information.



### Lunch

Campers must bring a lunch and drink. Healthy lunches and reusable containers are encouraged. No glass containers please. Campers are not permitted to purchase any food at the pool snack bar. Note: Refrigeration is not available at most sites.

### Swimming

Most campers attending two-week camps have a recreational swim period at Rockville Swim and Fitness Center on designated days (see individual camp descriptions). Specific information will be included in the Camp Information Packet, which will be e-mailed approximately 10 days prior the start of camp. Swim Lessons are included in the two-week sessions of Explorers, Bookworms, and Let's Move! (Cost included in camp fee) along with recreational swim and supervised play, Tuesday through Thursday.



### Are you a resident?



City residents are those individuals residing within the City's corporate tax limits. Please verify your residency to avoid disappointment. Do not assume that a Rockville mailing address is within the City's corporate tax limits. Proof of residency may be requested, via driver's license or water bill.



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## Camp Confirmation

Notification of camp status will be e-mailed within one week of registration for those registering by fax or mail.

## Camp Closure

Call 240-314-5023 for pre-recorded information to check the status of a camp in the event of weather or other emergency. If camp has to be canceled due to weather or any other reason beyond our control, we will work to provide camp services at an alternate location. If that is not possible, camp will be canceled. Call the number above for the most up-to-date information.

## Camp Payments *New*

You may choose to pay in full at the time of registration or select the payment plan option. The payment plan option, which must be chosen at the time of registration, divides the total amount due into four equal payments. 25 percent of the total fees will be due at the time of registration, with the remaining payments due on April 1, May 1 and June 1. You must register early to take advantage of this opportunity as payment due dates will not be changed. For example, if you register for programs in April, 50 percent of the fees will be due, with the remaining installments due May 1 and June 1. If registering for programs in May, 75 percent of the fees will be due, with the remaining installment due June 1.

To sign up for the payment plan option, you must check the payment plan box on the registration form or internet display screen. Payment plans will not be available after June 1. All payment plans will be assessed a 3 percent late fee if the payment is received more than five days after the due date. Outstanding balances as of June 2 may result in the child being withdrawn from the program.

## Camp Information Packet *New*

Specific camp details, a schedule of a typical camp day and participant medical information forms will be e-mailed to each registrant approximately 10 days prior to the start of each camp session. Your child must bring the necessary forms on the first day of each session. Forms may be copied. Additional ones may be downloaded at [www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation).

## Registration Dates

### Residents: Wednesday, Jan. 26, 8:30 a.m.

Internet, mail, fax and drop-off registration begins. All registrations received before Jan. 26 will be processed beginning Jan. 26.

### Non-residents: Wednesday, Feb. 9, 8:30 a.m.

Internet, mail, fax or drop-off registration begins. All non-resident registrations received before Feb. 9 will be processed beginning Feb 9.

## How to Register

Complete camp registration form. A separate form is required for each child. The registration forms may be duplicated. Separate payment is necessary for each family. Each registration is processed separately. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests that children be placed together, though there is no guarantee. Note: Of each camp fee, \$25 is a non-refundable deposit.

- Payment must be made upon registration using credit card or check, made payable to the City of Rockville Note: \$35 returned check charge. Do not send cash. See Camp Payments.
- To assist in placement, indicate second choice camps.
- If camper is placed in their second choice camp, he/she will not be placed on a waiting list for any other camp during that same session.
- Registrations cannot be transferred from one child to another due to waiting lists.

# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## Registration Information

### Four Easy Ways to Register!



**Most convenient method.**  
7 days a week.



#### 1. Online: [www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation) click on



(Credit card registrations only)

A family account must be set up prior to online registration option. See page 21 for more details.



#### 2. Fax to:

240-314-8659

(Credit card payments only)



#### 3. Mail to:

Department of Recreation and Parks  
City of Rockville, 111 Maryland Ave.,  
Rockville, MD 20850

Attn: Registration Desk

Checks payable to City of Rockville

#### 4. Walk-In:

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



- Rockville City Hall
- Rockville Swim and Fitness Center
- Rockville Senior Center
- Croydon Creek Nature Center
- Lincoln Park Community Center
- Thomas Farm Community Center
- Twinbrook Community Recreation Center

**Note: Due to the number of options associated with camp registration, phone registration is not available. We apologize for any inconvenience.**

### Photos

The Recreation and Parks Department reserves the right to photograph programs and participants for publicity purposes.



Camp	Dates	Reg. Deadline
Session 1	6/20-7/1	5/26
Session 2	7/5-7/15	6/9
Session 3	7/18-7/29	6/23
Session 4	8/1-8/5	7/7
Session 5	8/8-8/12	7/14
Session 6	8/15-8/19	7/21
Session 7	8/22-8/26	7/28

If deadline has passed, call 240-314-8620 to check the camp status. Late registrations are accepted if space is available. Camps may be canceled due to insufficient enrollment. Decisions will be made by the registration deadline at which time participants will be notified.

### Refund Policy

Refund requests must be received, in writing, at least two weeks prior to the start of the program. This allows for accurate decisions on staffing, planning and the purchase of supplies and equipment.

You may choose to have either a credit placed on your recreation account or a refund. Note: Credit or refund requests are refunded less the \$25 non-refundable deposit per program. No refunds will be issued after the two-week deadline.

### Transfer Request

Requests from one camp to another are subject to space availability and must be in writing.

Registrations cannot be transferred from one child to another due to wait lists.

### Waiting List

- If your desired camp is filled, you will be notified and placed on the wait list and payment returned.
- If you indicate a second choice, you will be placed there if that option is available. You will be notified of via a confirmation letter.
- We will make every effort to accommodate those on the waiting list. When and if an opening becomes available, we will go to the waiting list to fill the camp.



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**Betsy Thompson, Superintendent of Recreation**

**Steve Mader, Superintendent of Parks and Facilities**

## Satisfaction Guarantee

The Department is committed to providing quality programs and facilities. If you are unhappy with a camp program, we want to know! We will suggest another program for your child to try, or if you prefer, we will give you a credit. That's our "Customer Satisfaction Guarantee" to you.

## Individuals with disabilities

We encourage individuals with disabilities to register and participate in Rockville recreation programs. To adequately plan for a successful and rewarding experience, contact our office at 240-314-8620 three weeks prior to the activity start date. Ample time is needed to secure auxiliary services and aides. For additional therapeutic program opportunities, contact Montgomery County Department of Recreation at 240-777-4925; TTY 240-777-6974. Upon request, this publication will be made available in alternate formats by contacting the ADA Coordinator at 240-314-8100; TTY 240-314-8137.

## Help Send A Kid To Camp!



## Rockville Recreation and Parks Foundation

is a 501(c)3 organization established to:

- Improve recreational activities, programs, parks and facilities
- Support the Rockville Youth Recreation Fund
- Assist with fundraising, the acquisition and maintenance of new parks and open space
- Purchase equipment and other amenities for the City's parks and facilities.



## Contributions online or mailed to:

107 W. Jefferson St.,  
Rockville, MD 20850  
[www.rrpfi.org](http://www.rrpfi.org) • 240-314-8867

Your gift, grant or promised bequest is a tax-deductible contribution.



## Recreation & Parks Mission Statement

To promote participation by all Rockville citizens in diverse, interesting and high quality recreational and leisure opportunities in safe, modern and well maintained parks and facilities.

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# City of Rockville Summer Camps 2011

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: My child will be the correct age for camp by Sept. 1, 2011. May I register?**

**A:** Yes, for most camps, you may register your child for the program as long as he/she is the correct age by Sept. 1, 2011, the age deadline set by MCPS. (See individual camp descriptions for details.)

**Q: Can I enroll my child in the same camp all summer?**

**A:** Technically, yes. But please be aware that sessions will be somewhat repetitive. Our experience has been that when a child is repeatedly enrolled in the same camp all summer, they can become bored. One suggestion might be to register for the same camp at the beginning and then later in the summer.

**Q: Who are the camp staff who will be supervising my child?**

**A:** Our camp staff is selected for their experience, enthusiasm, desire and ability to work well with children. Staff training includes safety procedures, program planning, skills development and techniques in working with children. Staff is certified in CPR and First Aid training. Reference and background checks, including fingerprinting, are also part of the hiring process.

**Q: Will I receive any additional camp information after registering?**

**A:** Yes. Registration confirmations will be e-mailed within one week of registering. Additional information, including the daily schedule with staff names, required forms and other information will be e-mailed to you approximately 10 days prior to the start of each session.

It is important that the main contact listed on your family rockenroll account has an accurate e-mail address. To view your e-mail address we have listed, log-in to your recreation account at [www.rockenroll.rockvillemd.gov](http://www.rockenroll.rockvillemd.gov), then click on "details" next to the main contact. The main contact is noted by \*MC. If you need to update any information, click on the help desk e-mail address listed at the bottom of the page.

## Frequently Called Numbers

Classes, Camps, Trips ..... 240-314-8620

Cultural Arts Information Line ..... 240-314-5006

Directions Line: City Hall, Civic Ctr,  
Senior Ctr, Swim Ctr ..... 240-314-5047

Civic Center: Glenview Mansion, Art Gallery,  
F. Scott Fitzgerald Theatre ..... 240-314-8660

Climbing Gym ..... 240-314-8643

Croydon Creek Nature Center ..... 240-314-8770

Lincoln Park Comm. Center ..... 240-314-8780

Parks & Facilities Maintenance ..... 240-314-8700

Park & Picnic Rentals ..... 240-314-8660

Rec Line ..... (Rain site/red zone cancellation) 240-314-5023

Rec. & Parks Administration ..... 240-314-8601

Recreation Programs ..... 240-314-8620

RedGate Golf Course ..... 240-314-8730

 (Registration by phone) 301-762-4284

Rockville Sk8 Park ..... 240-314-8643

Rockville Swim and Fitness Center ..... 240-314-8750

Rockville Senior Center ..... 240-314-8800

Special Events ..... (Information/cancellation) 240-314-5022

Sports Line ..... (League play cancellation) 240-314-5055

TTY (City Hall) ..... 240-314-8137

Thomas Farm Comm. Center ..... 240-314-8840

Twinbrook Comm. Rec. Center ..... 240-314-8830

Web site ..... [www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation)

FAX: Recreation Division ..... 240-314-8659



# 2011 Camp Registration Form

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One form per child. To ensure prompt registration for your child, fill out the form completely. If information is missing, it may delay registration and the camp may fill.

\*Required information

## FAMILY INFORMATION:

☐ Resident ☐ Non-resident

\*Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\*Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

(\*Main Contact)

(Second Contact)

\*Address: \_\_\_\_\_

New address? ☐ Y ☐ N Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ \*Emergency Contact & Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name Other than Parent) (Phone)

## CAMPER INFORMATION:

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_

\* \_\_\_\_\_

Immunizations up-to-date?

☐ Y ☐ N

Special Needs Participant? Please contact our office at 240-314-8620 three weeks prior to activity.

Camp#	Camp Name	Dates	Fee	Second Choice	Fee
# _____	_____	_____	\$ _____	# _____	\$ _____
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SUB TOTAL: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Contribution to Recreation Fund: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Round off payment to the next easy denomination)

Bus Stop: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee = Rockville resident/non-resident

TOTAL: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Bus transportation available only to those programs displaying this symbol.



### PAYMENT METHOD: (check one)

☐ Credit Card (check type) ☐ ☐ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Cash (Walk-in only) ☐ Check enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Gift Certificate \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### FOUR EASY WAYS TO REGISTER!



Most Convenient Method. Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! (C.C. Registrations Only)

1-Online: www.rockvillemd.gov and click on

2-Fax: 240-314-8659

3-Mail to: Dept. of Recreation and Parks, Registration Desk, City of Rockville, 111 Maryland Ave., Rockville, MD 20850. Make check payable to: City of Rockville

4-Walk-In: City Hall, Swim & Fitness Ctr., Sr. Ctr., Twinbrook CRC, Lincoln Park CC, Thomas Farm CC and Croydon Creek Nature Ctr., 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: ☐ Mail in ☐ Walk in ☐ Fax ☐ Drop off Processed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Processed: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Paid: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check ☐ Cash ☐ Charge ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Fax to: 240-314-8659



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**Ages 6-12**



**Locations:** Beall Elementary School,  
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Elwood Smith Park, Fallsgrove  
Park, Hillcrest Park, King Farm Park,  
Lakewood Elementary School, Maryvale  
Park, Montrose Park, Potomac Woods  
Park, Woodley Gardens Park.

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begins  
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Join friends at your local neighborhood playground.  
Enjoy arts, crafts, sports, games, weekly swim and field trips.  
Spend quality time with experienced, creative  
and dedicated recreation leaders.

Watch for specific details on fees, activities and schedules in the 2011 Summer Recreation Guide.  
For additional information contact: 240-314-8620 • [www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation](http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation)